

REMARKS

Claims 1, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 12, 21, 24-31 and 33-46 are in this application and are presented for consideration. Claims 1, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 12, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 29, 31, 33, 35, 36, 42 and 43 have been amended.

The specification and claims have been amended to address the Examiner's objections, incorporate the Examiner's suggestions and to place the application in better form. The claims have also been amended in accordance with the Examiner's indication of allowable subject matter. Applicant thanks the Examiner for the careful reading of this application, for pointing out discrepancies, for providing suggestions, and indicating allowable subject matter.

It is applicant's position that this amendment modifies the present application according to the indicated allowable subject matter. This application should now be in conformance with US Patent regulations, and applicant respectfully requests that this application be passed to issuance.

Applicant again thanks the Examiner for indicating allowable subject matter. If the Examiner has any comments or suggestions which would further favorable prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to contact applicant's representative by telephone to discuss possible changes.

Favorable action on the merits of this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted
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